Claims

- An anti-virus agent acting against single stranded RNA (+) viruses, comprising the 1. following components (A) and (B), 5
 - a nucleotide sequence directing the synthesis of the complementary strand of (A) the single stranded virus;
 - a nucleotide sequence containing at least a regulatory region operably linked to (b) a structural gene encoding a toxin,
- wherein the nucleotide sequence encoding the toxin is positioned in an antisense 10 direction.
 - The anti-virus agent according to claim 1, wherein component (A) is derived from the 2. 5'- and/or 3'-untranslated regions of a ss(+)RNA virus.
 - The anti-virus agent according to claim 2, wherein wherein the component(A) is 3. derived from the 3' untranslated region of the HCV virus.

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- The anti-virus agent according to any of the preceding claims, wherein the regulatory 4. region comprises from the Shine-Dalgarno sequence or the internal ribosomal binding site (IRBS) of the genomic RNA of the poliovirus vaccine strain Sabin 2
- The anti-virus agent according to any of the preceding claims, wherein the toxin is 5. seleted from the group comprising diphteria exotoxin, diphtheria exotoxin A-subunit, Shigella toxin, Disenteria toxin. 25
 - The anti-virus agent according to any of the preceding claims, which comprises a 6. DNA or a RNA vector.
- Use of an anti-virus agent according to any of the preceding claims for the 30 7. manufacture of a medicament for treating a viral disease.

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8. The use according to claim 7, wherein the viral disease is caused by a hepatitis virus type B, C, D and or E, the Dengue virus, unclassified flaviviridae, Rubella virus. Yellow fever virus, Dengue virus, bovine viral diarrhoea virus, swine fever virus. footh and mouth disease virus.